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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Leonard  
Serial No.: 10/041,916  
Filed: January 8, 2002

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Group Art Unit: 1616  
Examiner: Badio, B.

For: SYNTHESIS OF A MIXTURE OF SULFATE ESTROGENS USING A  
SULFURTRIOXIDE COMPLEX

Date: February 24, 2004

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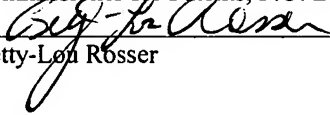
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